CHURCH SERVICES, &c., TO-MORROW.

CHRIST CHURCH—Service at 11 a. m. and 72 p. m., by Rev. Mr. McKim.
St. Paul's Church—Service at 11 a. m. and 4p m, by Rev. Dr. Norton.

GRACE CHURCH—Service at 11 a. m. and 72

p. m, by Rev. Mr. Sprigg.
St. Mary's Church—Mass at 7 a. m., Mass and sermon at 11 a. m., and Vespers at 4 p. m. FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH-Preaching at Il a. m., by Rev. E. Whittlesey.

SECOND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH-No service. METH. EPIS. CHURCH—Services at 11 a.m. and at 7½ p. m. by Rev. Mr. Beyer. METH. EPISCOPAL CHURCH SOUTH—Sermon in the morning by Rev. Dr. Little, and at night by Rev. Mr. Mills.

METH. PROT. CHURCH-Preaching in the morning by Kev. B. F. Benson, and at night by Rev. J. B. Jones. BAPTIST CHURCH-Preaching at 11 a. m. and

73 p m , by Rev. J. E. Chambliss, of Camden, New Jersey. GERMAN LUTHERAN-Reading service at 11 a. m. by Kev. Mr. Freckenstein.

VILLAGE CHAPEL-No service. Young Mes's Christian Association.— Prayer meeting in the First Presb'n. Church, at 4 p m. Ales House services at 21 p. m. Jan 12 p. m. Sunday School on the corner of King and West sts. at 22 p. m. Week Work— Rooms of the Association open for prayer at 42 p. m. Prayer meeting next Friday night at 72 p. m. in the room corner of King and West sts.

LOCAL NEWS.

THE WAWASET DISASTER. -The only case in which suit has been brought for injuries caused by the terrible catastrophe of the burning of the steamer Wawaset, in August last year, came to a conclusion in the Circuit Court of Washington yesterday. Andrew Melvide, who was upon the Wawaset at the time of the disaster, leaped overboard, but passed under the wieel and was struck by the paddle, so that he claims he was unable to work and required medical attendance. He brought suit on the 26th of September last before Justice Moulton on the following bill: To eighteen days' work lost, at \$4 per day. \$72; doctor's bid. \$21; corset for chest, \$2 50; fluinel bandage, 60 cents; liniment, \$3; plasters, 50 c nts; laudgave judgment against the terry company for on the case coming up yesterday, it was dismissed at the defendant's cost.

HELP THE POOR. - Unpalatable as may be the announcement to some, and surprising as it certainly will be to others, it is a fact of which too many sufferers are painfully aware, that there are now people in this city, and those, too, who a few years ago were in comparatively comfortable encumstances, who, being too proud to beg, are suffering the pangs of cold and hunger. Those having anything to give away can find worthy objects on which to bestow their charity by calling upon any of the members of the L dies' Union Relief Society. who will, if required, carry them to the abodes of such abject poverty as has been alfuded to above, so that, with their own eyes, they can see that their alms are given to those who merit them and who receive them only to keep soul and body together.

CORPORATION COURT - Judge E. M. Lowe presiding. - The will of the late Robert H. Miller was admitted to probate, and Elisha J Miller and Francis Miller qualified as executors of the same.

The estate of Stephen Shinn, deceased, was, on motion of George R Shinn, committed to the Sergeaut, James M. Steuart, for adminis-Grigg vs. Atkinson; chaucery; decree for sale

of dwelling corner of Prince and Payne streets. Miller vs. O., A. & M. R. R. C.; chancery; decree against defendaut. Windsor vs. Gray et als.; chancery; argu-

ment concluded and decision reserved. Court adjourned till court in course. JEWISH FESTIVAL -- In the synagogue this morning prayers were offered for the first month

of the Hebrew calendar, which begins next Thursday. It is the Hebrew month Ni-an, being the month upon which the Hebrews, after a bondage of centuries, recovered their liberty from the Pharaons in Egypt and began | perance crusade. their wanderings to the promised land. On the fourteenth day of this month occurs the Feast of the Passover. Thursday next will make the beginning of the civil year of the Jews, and in the synagogue to day reference was made to the fact of the beginning of the first month of the civil year, and an allusion was also made to the approaching festival.

Low TIDE .-- The northwest wind which has been blowing now for a week past, has made the water in the Potomac as low as it is ever remembered to have been. The flats on both sides of the river are nearly bare, the water being confined almost entirely within the narrow limits of the chappel. The heads of ail the docks are dry, and the depth of water at the end of the wharves is considerably reduced. The market people residing in Maryland were anable to reach here this morning in cousequence of the grounding of the ferry boat near her slip on the other side of the river.

Oysters .- The supply of oysters affoat at the dock, as stated yesterday, is entirely exbausted, and the dealers are now troubled about procuring enough, of what has become one of the staple articles of food, to fill the orders they daily receive. A tug boat, having in tow a vessel containing a cargo of oysters arrived this morning, but went on to Washington, where the scarcity is as great as it is here, and where a crowd of buyers was anxiously awaiting its arrival.

PROPERTY SALES .-- Green & Wise sold, today, by public auction, for H. O. Claughton and others, commissioners, the lot of ground on the southeast corner of Prince and Alfred streets, to Richard A. Rudd, for \$900. Also a rent charge of \$10 per anoum on a lot of ground on the west side of Lee and south side of Franklin street to the same for \$25.

FEARFUL - The California Legislature passelabil yesterday making it a misdemeanor to invite any person to drink, or to accept an levitation to dripk, at any public bar. The dead beats and spongers coatemplate similar action on the part of the Virginia Legislature with fear and trembling.

NEW STEAMER. - The hull of the new steamer now being built for the Upper Potomac Steamboat Company, at Accotink, is nearly e impleted, and next week will be towed to this city, where the joiners' work will be done, and where, as heretofore stated, her engines and biters are being manufactured.

THE CHAIN GANG. -- The chain gang com posed now of stout, able bodied men, were at work for a short time on the streets this morning, but as the temperature was cool on the shady side of the streets, they were, after about an hour's labor, taken back to the comfortable

MID LENT SUNDAY. - The season of Lent is rapidly passing. To-morrow will be what is visions quiet, but firm. known as mid Lent Sunday, indicating that more than half of the great fast has been passed, and that only three weeks remain to reach

West End, was broken open on the night of meter during the day. Wednesday last, and robbed of about forty dol-

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

SPECIAL DISPATCHES TO THE GAZETTE.

Re-arrest of a Desperado.

RICHMOND, March 14. - Andrew Gill an es caped convict from the penitentiary and a noted desperado was captured yesterday near Pamplins station on the Southside railroad, but not until after a desparate fight with the eight men who surrounded him. He was heavily armed, and discharged every load at his captors, and did not quit until he had been shot (wice, once in the face and once in the breast.

Mr Summer's Remains.

NEW YORK, March 14. -The remains of pools sheltered from the wind. Senator Summer were taken from the Fifth-Avenue Hotel this morning to the Grand Central depot at 42od street en route to Bosion. Their removal created as little stir as characteriz d their entrance. Shortly before nine o'clock the Washington colored police who were to charge of the body during the night brought the box containing the carket from the parlor in the south ast wing of the building down to the hall of the hotel, which was occupied by numerous guests stopping in the building, and who formed in line to the entrance tel were collected a few of the residents of the to learn, as well as ever. neighborhood, who had been apprised of the fact that the remains of the illustrious Senator had been deposited in the Faith Avenue hotel last night. These were kept in order by a few policemen from the nearest precinct station house. Captain Leary's equad of police officers ranged themselves on the pavement in two rows, through which the remains were borne by colored men to the hearse which was in wait ing. The different committees then entered the carriages and the solemn procession took its way to the depot, in the following order: A squad of New York police, the hearse, coataining the body, the Union League Club, the Washington police (e dored,) the carriages containing the committees and delegations. At the Grand Central depot there was a small anum, 40 c. nts; total, \$100; and the justice crowd collected, the news of the coming of the body having preceded it. I amediately on the the whole amount. An appeal was taken, and arrival of the remains they were borne in the same manner to a train in waiting, which short ly after 10 o'clock steamed slowly out of the

Tributes of Respect.

St. Louis, March 14. - Both houses of the Legislature vesterday passed resolutions of respect to the m-mory of ex-President Filimore and Senator Sumner, and similar resolutions with regard to ex Senator Wigfall, of Texas.

NEW YORK, March 14 .- Yesterday Hon. Stephen Preston, Minister of Hayti to this country, received a cable dispatch from his government directing him to assist in the reception of the remains of Senator Summer on their arrival in this city and accompany them to Boston and attend the funeral in an official

eapacity. NEW YORK. March 14 -- A meeting of colored citizens will be held to morrow evening in Shiloh Pre-byterian Church to give expression to their sorrew on the death of Charles Sumber.

The colored citizens of Newark have adopted resolutions of regret at his death.

The Temperance Cause.

CLEVELAND, O., March 14. - The women's emperance movement in this city assumed a more practical phase yesterday morning. A large number of ladies assembled in the parlors of one of the principal churches, and after sometime spent in prayer and consultation, some tifty of them started out in pairs, and proceeding to different sections of the city can vassed for signatures to the general piedge, meeting with fair success. An attack upon the saloons will probably be made next week.

The crusade continues in most of the neighsoring towns and meets with a varying degree of success, but there seems to be no abatement of zeal and determination on the part of the

ladies in any quarter.

New YORK March 14 -- The German saloon keepers of the Tenth Ward are organizing a protection organization against the tem-

Fatal Kailroad Accident.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 14.-A passenger track by a broken rail and went over an embankment, falling a distance of thirty feet. It The particulars will be forwarded as soon as as- | night.

The &shantee Expedition.

LONDON, March 14. -- A dispatch was received at the Admiralty office last evening from Cape Coast Castle dated February, 22, saying all the troops, except the Highlanders have re embarked for home, Sir Garnet Woiseley will embark on the 7th of March. Captain Gover, with 1,000 men, energed Comassie two days after Sir Garnet Wolseley occupied the town.

Verdict in the Woodhul -Claff n Case. NEW YORK, March 14 .- The july in the case of Woodnull & Ciaffin, on trial for libelling Luther Challis, have returned a verdiet of not guilty. Judge Sutherland characterized the verdict as the most outrageous one he had ever heard of. The women left the Court room cheered by their friends.

Statue of Gen. cott.

PHILADELPHIA, March 14.--A bronzestatue I Gen. Scott, east at the Philadelphia Brouze Works for the soldiers Home at Washington, D. C., has been erected at 12th and Spring Garden streets for public inspection, and attracts general admiration.

Mr. Sumner's Successor. BOSTON, March 14 .- The Advertiser strong-

ly mineates his preference for Charles Francis Adams to fill the vacan seat in the Senate, and next to him Judge Hoar or Mr. Dawes.

Funeral of Mr. Sumner.

Boston, March 14 .- Owing to the limited ize of Dorie Hall, it has been decided to hold the funeral services of the late Senator Sumner in Kings Chapel.

Death of a Countess.

LONDON, March 14 .- The Countess Brunnow, wife of the Russian Ambassador died last night at the Legation in this city.

Financial.

London, March 14-4 p. m.-The amount f bulion withdrawn from the Bink of Eng-

land on balance to-day is £204,000. The Markets. NEW YORK March 14.-Stocks dall Mon-

ey 3. Go'd 117. Flour dulil and unchanged Wheat quiet and unchanged. Corn steady. BALTIMORE March 14.-Virginia sixes, old, 33; do. consolidated, 51; West Virginias 11. Cotton steady; low middlings to. Flour steady and in good demand; prices unchanged. Wheat quiet and unchanged. Corn weak and lower; white Southern 82a84; yellow Southern 81 82; mixed Western 85. Oats dull; Southern 58a62; Western 58a60. Rye dull. Hay dull 15a823 Pro-

Weather Probabilities.

WASHINGTON, March 14, 11 a. m. For the Middle and South Atlantic States, ROBBERY .- The store of Mr. John Catts, at northwest to northeast winds and rising baro-

lars worth of bacon and ten dollars worth of tobacco.

MARYLAND HAMS, Sugar-cured Break-fast Pieces and Shoulders, for sale by mh 14

J. C. MILBURN.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

A boy named Lee Moore, living opposite the jail, while ordering a load of wood at Mr. Rose's yard, this morning, had a hemmorrhage from his tungs, which was so profuse and weakening that he had to be picked up and carried home by two policemen.

It was reported at police headquarters this morning that a colored boy, to whom a woman had given a ten dollar note to get changed, had invested the same in a watch which he was 'sporting around," and that his victim was hunting for him.

The weather to-day, though clear and bright, has been windy, and so cold that overcoats were comfortable even in the sunshine. les of considerable thickness formed last night on

The McVeigh-Underwood case will come up in the Supreme Court on Monday next. Should Mr. McVeigh recover possession of his house, as is most probable, it is possible he will return here to live.

The annual rental of the three new cook shops in the east wing of the market building has been apportioned as follows: For the one next to Fairiex street, \$125; for that mixi to the square, \$100, and for the middle one. \$75. Judge Cockerille, the efficient Delegate in the Legislature from Fairfax, was in the city to do r with uncovered heads. Outside the he- day, looking, his numerous friends will be glad

> Tuesday next will be St. Patrick's Day. The Knights of St. Patrick of this cry have been invited to attend a celebration of the day by the members of their order in Washington. The ordination of Mr. Meade a, grandson of

Grace Church, by Bishop Johns. John Staton, colored, of this city, one of the Capitol police torce, was one of the members of that force detached to accompany the remains

Bishop Meade, will tak blace to-morrow at

of the late Senator Summer to Boston. At a meeting of Potomac Lodge of Good Templars, held last night, two new members were imated and five applications for membership were received.

The condition of Mr. Thomas Cross, who les oth his feet by an accident on Wednesday ight last, was worse this evening than it has

A large party of masquers were out again last night. They baid a visit to the City Hotel, where they were hospitably treated.

Mr. Jas. Watkins is putting the road leading from Cameron run to the Lattie Ri er surupike in excellent condition.

We are indebted to the kindness of a friend for copies of the London Times of a late date.

POLICE HEADQUARTERS. -- Affirs at police headquarters were exceedingly quiet this morn ing. The only eases reported there since yesterday have been John Laws and Zip Gray, colored, whose examination on the charge of disorderly preceedings, on Nailor's Hill, on the 23d ult., had been continued from day today for several days past, and who were finally discharged upon the payment of the fines that were imposed upon them. Three lodgers applied for and were accommodated at the station ouse last night.

Buck Dogan, colored, for gambling, was fined and discharged. Sam Day, colored, for permitting gambling

on his premises, was fined and discharged. Ben Tibbs, a colored boy, and a man named Joseph Burns, arrested for robbing Michael Normile of \$160, were held for further exam nation.

THE FISHERY.--Fishing operations on the Potomac are seriously retaided by the prevailing high winds from the Northwest, and the consequent low water in the river. Many of the shores are supplied with their complement of hands, who are idling about, unable to haulthe seines, though they have to be fed as regularly as if they were at work. The outfit of Mr. W. J. Cunningham, for the shore at Budd's Ferry, left here this morning.

Mr. A. Glachet makes candy as delicious as any ever made by the old French candy-maker on 9th street, Washington. That which is hard, is as clear as crystal and as brittle as glass; that which is soft, dissolves in the mouth like congealed cream. His variety, too, is extensive, and the price at which he sells it to train going west on the Central Pacific railroad his numerous customers at his stall in the marbetween Toano and We was thrown from the ket is remarkably moderate. The sample sent to this office to day, judging from the avidity with which it was made to disappear, made is reported that the loss of life was very great. I more than one "a child again," if not for a

I. Schwartz & Co. have received at their Sarepta Hall store their advanced stock of spring clothing, comprising a variety of such extent, and offered at such low rates, that the most fastidious and econominal purchasers need not go away from the city to supply their

The reputation of the goods manufactured by Messrs. Geo. R. Hill & Co., of this city, seems to be travelling rapidly. In addition to orders from Philadelphia, New York, Charleston and other prominent points in this country they have received an order from one of the largest mercantile houses in Rome, Italy.

PORT OF ALEXANDRIA, MARCH 14, '74. SUN ROSE..... 6 13 MOON RISES...... 4 14 SUN SETS...... 6 61

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Steamer George H Stout, Philadelphia, to F A Reed. Steamer Lady of the Lake, Norfolk, to F A

Steamer Pilot Boy, Currioman, by F A Reed. Schr Maggie, Baltimore, by W A Smort. MEMORANDA.

Schr Cornelia, for this port, sailed from Baltimore 13tb. Schr Henrietta, for this port, sailed from Nor-

2.0 A meeting of Friends, for worship will be held to-morrow afternoon, at the Friends' Meeting House, corner of Wolfe and St. Assph streets, at 32 o'clock. S. M. Janney and other visiting Friends will be present. This is a circular meeting, and all are invited

AC-1 her, by tender my sincere thanks to the Maryland Fire Insurance Co., of Baltimore, for their promptness in to-day settling with me in full, through their agents, Messrs. S. H. Janney & Son, for the los- sustained by me in the fire of the 5th instant.

WASHINGTON FISHER.

By F. A. Kerby, Real Estate Agent and Auctioneer,

No. 56 King street, Alexandria, Virginia.

POSITIVE SALE OF VALUABLE REAL
ESTATE IN ALEXANDRIA, VA.—To
be sold at public auction, in front of the Market
House, on Royal street, Alexandria, Va., on
WEDNESDAY, the 25th day of Mirch, 1871
at 12 o'clock m., if not sold at private sale before that day, a large three story BRICK as BUILDING and one two-story DWEL-LING adjoining the same, including a large LOT OF GROUND, situate on the corners of King, Fayette and Commerce streets. Lot enclosed in part by a brick wall on Fayette street and high plank fence on Commerce street. The brick building, including cellars which are under the whole construction, contains about ave hundred thousand brick. The timber and brick alone is worth more money than the price asked for the whole property, as the blick building cost to put it up about twenty thousand dol- also Brown and Bleached Cott ons, just opened. lars. The above property will be sold as a whole For the Middle and South Atlantic States, or divided to suit purchasers. Specu ators and continued cold and generally clear weather with all persons wishing to buy are requested to example of the continued cold and generally clear weather with all persons wishing to buy are requested to example of the continued cold and generally clear weather with all persons wishing to buy are requested to example of the continued cold and generally clear weather with all persons wishing to buy are requested to example of the continued cold and generally clear weather with all persons wishing to buy are requested to example of the continued cold and generally clear weather with all persons wishing to buy are requested to example of the continued cold and generally clear weather with all persons wishing to buy are requested to example of the continued cold and generally clear weather with all persons wishing to buy are requested to example of the continued cold and generally clear weather with all persons wishing to be a continued cold and generally clear weather with all persons wishing to be a continued cold and generally clear weather with all persons wishing to be a continued cold and generally clear weather with all persons with the continued cold and generally clear weather the cold and generally amine the premises on or before the day of sale. Terms made known at sale. For further information, &c., apply to the undersigned
FRANCIS A. KERGY,
No. 55 King street,
mh 14-cots
Alexandria, Va. 1 mh 5

1. Schwartz & Co.,

Having just returned from New York, have now at their store, 89 King STREET, the finest and best selected at ck of

SPRING CLOTHING,

for men and youth's wear, ever before brought to this market, and are selling them wonderfully

Among them they offer good business suits for

Their assortment of new style HATS is at

Your inspection is solicited at

present the best in the city.

89 King street. Special Notice! We have a fine stock of BOY'S, YOUTH'S

SAREPTA CLOTHING HALL,

AND CHILDRENS BOOTS of superior qual ty, which will be sold at GREATLY RE-DUCED PRICES, in order to reduce stock. All in want will find it to their interest to examine

our stock before purchasing W. B. WADDEY, 74 King street.

We have just received a very fine assortment of GENTLEMEN'S FINE TOILET SLIP-PEAS, suitable for holiday presents. WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

Ladies' Misses' and Children's Boots,

Shoes and Slippers. We are this day receiving a full line of La-lies', Misses' and Children's Boots. Shoes and Slippers, suitable for Fall and Winter, empracting all of the latest styles, which we confi dentiz believe to be the very best stock. We oct 2 W B. WADDEY, 74 King st.

Special Notice.

GENTS EXTRA FINE BOOTS & SHOES

We have just received a fresh supply of Gents xtra fine, hand-sewed Boots and Shoes, and suppers of every description, which we unhesitatingly recommend to be the very best on sale in the city. W B. WADDEY,

74 King street. IVERPOOL SALT 2000 sacks DEAKINS' FINE SALT.

1500 " EVANS FINE SALT.
3 00 " G. A. SALT.
To arrive per b rque Theodosius Christian, now due from Liverpool, direct to this port. For sale at market prices by mii 14 HOOE & JOHNSTON.

HAIR GOODS We are now receiving our Spring Stock of

REAL HAIR, which we will sell cheaper than ever. Call and see new Hair Switches at 16-FERGUSON'S HAIR DEPOT.

TURK'S ISLAND SALT. 5000 bushels T. I SALT, of beautiful quality;

just received per brig Helen, from Turk's Island. For saic at market price by mh 14

HOOE & JOHNSTON.

STAMPING!

Another 'ot of NEW PATTERNS, with Braid and Embroidery Designs intermingled, suitable for Children's Piqua Suits; also Pyra-FERGUSON'S HAIR DEPOT.

TOILET SOAPS—Just received a large stock of elegant Toilet Soaps, consisting of the Cashmere Bouquet, Elder Flower, Turtle Oil, Brown Winds r, Fine Honey and Glycerine, and also Carbolic and Pure Pine Tar Soaps. JANNEY & CO.

37 BOXES BAKER'S celebrated brand of CHEWING TOBACCO for sale by HOUE & JOHNSTON. LOST-A handsome reward will be paid for the return to this office of a diamond cluster PIN, lost yesterd y evening. mh 14 %t

ONION SETS-Received to-day a lot of prime Silver Skin and Red Onion Sets.

Mh 14 JANNEY & CO. * ENUINE OLD WHITE CASTILE SOAP for sale at 147 King street. WM. F. BROOKES.

CANNED GOODS at low figures at 147 King street. [mh 14] WM. F. BROOKES. DRIED CHERRIES, Peaches and Apples, for sale by [n.h | 4] J. C. MILBURN. CHOICEST TEAS for sale by J. C. MILBURN.

NOTICE-Subscribers to stock in the GER-MAN BANKING CO. are hereby netified that a meeting will be held at Harmonie Hall, on Monday next, March 16th, at 7½ p. m. This will be the last opportunity they will have to pay in their first insla ment. JAS, H REID, Cashier.

A DDED TO OUR MOURNING GOODS DEPARTMENT, BLACK BOMBAZINE and BLACK AL-PACAS, of our regular brand this morning mh 3 D. F. WITMER CO.

ORSETS!

The ECLIPSE CORSETS, 24 bones.
There are the best and cheapest ever sold. Price only 70c. For sale at C. C. BERRY'S.

CARPETS, in BRUSSELS and INGRAIN. Just opened beautiful and new designs, mak-

ing our assortment complete.
n.h 10 D. F. WITMER CO. WE KEEP constantly on hand an assort-ment of READY-MADE WORK, such as Doors, Sashes, Binds, Frames, Mouldings, Brackets, &c.

B F. PEAKE & CO. CLOTHS, CASSIMERES and VESTINGS.

Just epened a great many goods in this department, or choice styles and very cheap

FRESH GUNPOWDER, Japan and Oolong Teas in store and for sale by WM. F. BROOKES, 147 King street. N EW ORLEANS MOLASSES, a prime article, in store and for sale by WM. F. BROOKES,

147 King street. ROSADALIS, Hoefland's Bitters, French Dressing for ladies' shoes, Husband's Magnesia, &c., &c., received this day at 107 King st. HENRY COOK & CO.

O NION SETS-We have on hand a good supply of beautiful Silver Skin and Yellow inh 10 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

RED FLANNELS! WHITE FLANNELS! Just rece ved by express.
D. F. WITMER CO. CHLORIDE OF LIME, for disinfecting pur poses, put up in 1 lb and 1 lb packages in patent waterproof gloss paper, received and for sale by [mh 5] JANNEY & CO. WHISKS! WHISKS! WHISKS!-A
prime lot for sale by
C. S. TAYLOR, Jr.,

CUTLER'S PO KET INHALERS, Sage's Catarrh Remedy, and Pierce's Nasal In-jectors, just received and for sale by E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO. mh 4 A BEAUTIFUL ASSORTMENT OF SPRING CALICOES, the latest styles; D. F. WITMER CO.

No. 6 Prince street.

complete. D. F. WITMER CO. PLAIN BLUE and BLACK PERCALS, for trimmings, just received by mh 5 D. F. WITMER CO. FERTILIZERS.

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[Letter of Professor P. B. Wilson, late Assistant of Baron J. Von Liebig.] CHEMICAL LABORATORY OF PROF. P. B. WILSON, No. 30 Second street, Baltimore, December 1st, 1873.

Maj. N. M. TANNOR, President Guanahani Guano Co., Petersburg, Va.

Dear Sir: I have drawn samples of the Guano, as it has arrived in cargo lots, and find it exceedingly uniform in the amount of Phosphoric Acid it contains, namely, from 15 to 19 per cent.

This is combined with Lime, and is of Animal Origin, and readily assimilable by plants. It contains potential Ammonia and Nitric Acid, having a combined Nitrogen value equal to from 2 to 8 per cent of Ammonia, with the alkalies Potash and Soda, and valuable proportions of Sulphate of Lime. The whole forming a very desirable combination for all crops. Lime. The whole forming a very desirable combination for all crops, and when applied to land. the crop receiving proper tillage, must, in my opinion, give as good results as any Guano offered to the farmer.

Being of Animal Origin, the organic matter has undergone partial decomposition, and it neces-

Being of Animal Origin, the organic matter has undergone partial decomposition, and it necessarily contains a valuable amount of HUMUS, which makes its fertilizing power much greater than fertilizers which are compounded largely of Peruvian Guano, which, beyond its Ammonia and small phosphatic value, has little or no power in absorbing from the atmosphere and retaining in the soil the moveable elements absorbed by moisture and brought down by the rains, as the Guano you are now placing upon the market. All of the components of this Guano are very soluble in the soil, and possess such physical properties as to render it at all times and under all circumstances as immediately available plant food.

The late samples you sent me for analysis, from the deposit which you inform me you intend to ship from, show a decrease in phosphatic value, but a large increase in its Nitrogen compounds. I think, however, from previous observations of cargoes, that you may reasonably expect, that cargoes taken from where these samples were drawn, will materially improve in the saline compounds, (Phosphates, Alkalies and Magnesia.)
P. B. WILSON, Analytical and Consulting Chemist.

UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA, West Philadelphia, Dec. 19, 1873.

Maj. N. M. TANNOR, Petersburg, Va. Maj. N. M. TANNOR, Fetersburg. va.

Dear Sir: In compliance with your request, I have analyzed sample of "Guanahani Guano' and have made additional examination of an average sample from a lot of 300 tons, the result of which I beg to embrace in the following: The Guano is a brownish powder, with lumps of combiwhich I beg to embrace in the following: The Guano is a brownish powder, with lumps of combinations of Lime with Carbonic, Phosphoric and Nitric Acids. It contains a considerable quantity of water, (about 20 per cent) and when dried, is a paler brown powder. The Guano is evidently of animal origin, and the minute bones, which were discovered in the same, indicate that it is the result of the decay of bats, mice, etc. The quantity of organic matter, which is still present, is about 12 per cent, and this yields about 2½ per cent of Ammonia. A portion of the Nitrogen is present, as Nitric toid, of which about 3 per cent were found. All the Nitrogen present would be equivalent to about 3½ per cent of Ammonia. The Phosphoric Acid in the Guano averaged about 12½ per cent, equal to 27.3 per cent of Bone Phosphate. A considerable quantity of the Phosphoric Acid, however, is present, as so-called neutral Phosphate of Lime which, being slightly soluble in water, renders the Guano as quick in its action, as a corresponding quantity of Super-Phosphate would do. The small percentage of potash, which was found in the analysis, adds to its value.

From all the experiments which I have made of the Guanahani Guano, no doubt can exist that Yours truly, it is valuable manure.

[Letter from Ex-Governor Smith.] WARRENTON, VA., August 4th, 1873. Dear Sir: The extraordinary character of the season—a rain almost every day—puts it wholly out of my power to form an estimate of your Guano. The crops of corn and rutabagas, to which it was applied, look very fine. Yours truly, WM. SMITH.

BETHEL ACADEMY, FAUQUIER CO., VA., July 24th, 1873. Dear Sir: I used your Guano on my wheat last fall, and am highly pleased with it. Think it is as good as the high priced Guanos. I have a good paying crop of wheat, and the best stand of grass I ever had, and this is the opinion of those who have seen both, notwithstanding the unfavorable winter and early spring. I shall use it again this fall. Yours. BENJ. F. SMITH.

[This crop of wheat, 28 bushels to the acre, was noticed in the Warrenton and Alexandria papers as the finest crop in Mr. Smith's county]

WARRENTON, VA., July 17th, 1878.

I used your Guano on wheat last year, and consider it equal to any Guano I ever used. It LEWIS SHUMATE.

BROAD RUN STATION, FAUQUIER CO., VA., Dec. 4, 1878. Dear Sir: I left one row without your fertilizer, and used it on the next row. I used at the rate of 200 pounds to the acre. I had the corn carefully gathered separate, and found the result as follows: From the Guano row I shelled one bushel and nearly a half gallon; from the row without Guano I got a half bushel and not quite a quart; making fully double where I used Guano. The growth of stalk was not proportionately heavy—the strength seemed to go to the grain. I think it an excellent Spring fertilizer. The land I tried it on was quite thin. Yours, A. D. SMITH.

The Company recommend an application of from 200 to 250 lbs per acre, but not over the arger amount. Examine the letters of Prof. F. A. Genth, Philade'phia, Professor of Applied Chemistry, University of Pennsylvania, and Prof. P. B. Wilson, Baltimore, late Assistant to the great G. Chemist, Baron J. Von Liebig.

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Persons not wishing their names to appear can have them stricken from the lists by at once call ing at my office and settling their dues.

I have also a number of real estate bills yet on hand, and notice is hereby given that unless the same shall have been paid on or before the 20th

day of March, 1874, measures will be immediately taken to collect them by distraint. JOHN T. HILL, Collector North District. Alexandria, March 10, 1874. NOTICE-Having bought of Mr. Clarridge his interest in the firm of Clarridge & Grigg, I this day become sole proprietor of the store, assuming the obligations of the late firm and continuing the DAUG BUSINESS under my

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SUCCESS ASSURED. A FULL DRAWING CERTAIN.

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and Drawing until TUESDAY, the 31st of March, 1874. NO FURTHER POSTPONEMENT. No doubt is entertained of the sale of every icket before the drawing, but whether all are sold or not the Concert and Drawing will positively and unequivocally take place on the day now fixed, and if any remain unsold they will be cancelled and the prizes will be reduced in proportion

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Concert, Public Library Building, Louisville, Kentucky.

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